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**NOTICE.**  
MR. E. H. M. HUNTINGTON has been Admitted a PARTNER in our Firm in Hongkong, China and elsewhere, from 1st January, 1885.  
RUSSELL & Co.  
Hongkong, July 1, 1885. 1104

## Intimations.

**NOTICE.**  
AN Extraordinary General Meeting of the VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB will be held on SATURDAY, the 11th Inst., at 4.30 p.m. in the Gymnasium. The Object of the Meeting is stated in the Notice Posted at the Club.  
J. H. STEWART LOCKHART,  
Hon. Secretary.  
Hongkong, July 4, 1885. 1132



## NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS will be Received by the Undersigned, until Noon of SATURDAY, the 18th Instant, for the RE-BUILDING of SEA WALL at H. M. NAVAL YARD, Kowloon, according to Plan and Specification which can be seen on application to the Surveyor, Royal Engineer Department, from whom Form of Tender and Bill of Quantities can be obtained. The right to reject the lowest or any Tender is reserved.  
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H. M. Naval Yard,  
Hongkong, 4th July, 1885. 1133

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T. JACKSON,  
Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, February 23, 1885. 347

## NOTICE.

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- 1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on weekdays, 10 to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1.
- 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year.
- 3.—Depositors in the Savings' Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.
- 4.—Interest at the rate of 3 1/2 per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances.
- 5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.
- 6.—Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked On Hongkong Savings' Bank Business is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.
- 7.—Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary.

For the  
HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,  
T. JACKSON,  
Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, May 7, 1885. 764

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Hongkong, June 25, 1885. 1071

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Hongkong, July 1, 1885. 1113

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To make room for our Autumn Arrivals and to obviate the necessity of holding over our present Stock until next Summer, which always entails loss from deterioration, we have re-marked our Goods at such REDUCTIONS IN PRICE as, we think, will ensure the accomplishment of our purpose.

PRICE LIST.	
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Cricketing Flannel Coat and Pants	\$9.00 3 Suits \$25.00.
White Serge	\$9.00 40 \$25.00.
Blue	\$7.50 40 \$21.00.
Thin Summer Tweed	\$9.00 40 \$25.00.
Black and Blue Diagonal Saco Coat	\$4.00 40 \$6.00.
Tweed Trousers	\$1.75 3 Suits \$4.50.
Pajama Suits (Cotton)	\$4.50 40 \$12.00.
(All Wool)	\$4.50 40 \$12.00.
A lot of Tweed Suit lengths medium weights	\$7.00.
Drill, Serges, Flannels, Tweeds, &c., by the yard or piece, &c., &c., &c.	
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Long Cloth Shirts, with and without Collars attached	\$18.50 per Dozen.
Mercino Irish Under Shirts Men's size	\$ 5.25 "
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QUEEN'S ROAD (OPPOSITE HONGKONG HOTEL).  
Hongkong, July 1, 1885. 1110

## Intimations.

JUST RECEIVED  
**SWEET CAPORAL CIGARETTES.**  
HONGKONG DISPENSARY.  
Hongkong, April 11, 1885. 616

**NOTICE.**  
THE HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE CERTIFICATES of 10 SHARES numbered 5270/5276 and 5270/5272 in this Company, standing in the name of Captain C. HERMANN having been LOST, Notice is hereby given, that a NEW CERTIFICATE for the said 10 SHARES will be ISSUED a Fortnight hence to Mr. N. A. SIEBS as Trustee of the Estate of the late Captain C. HERMANN and that the ORIGINAL CERTIFICATES, unless produced within that period, will thereafter be held by the Company as null and void.  
Dated the 23rd day of June, A.D. 1885.  
By Order of the Directors,  
D. GILLIES,  
Secretary.

**COLONIAL AND INDIAN EXHIBITION.**  
GENTLEMEN'S designs of forwarding ARTICLES to the EXHIBITION, whether for Sale or otherwise, are requested to Communicate with the HONORARY SECRETARY.  
H. E. WOODHOUSE,  
Hon. Secretary.  
Hongkong, June 8, 1885. 950

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Rates for towing Vessels and Cargo-boats, or use of Launches for Excursions to Macao, Canton, or other places may be arranged at No. 23, Wing Wo Street.  
Hongkong, June 13, 1885. 970

## Intimations.

**NORTH-CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.**  
NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. WILLIAM HOWES PERCIVAL assumes CHARGE of the AGENCY of the above Company here from this date.  
By Order of the Court of Directors,  
ALEX. ROSS,  
Agent.  
Hongkong, July 1, 1885. 1109

**WILLIAM DOLAN,**  
SAIL-MAKER & SHIP-CHANDLER,  
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COTTON DUCKS, HEMP CANVAS, MANILA ROPE, AMERICAN OAKUM, LIFE BOOYS, CORK JACKETS, &c., &c., &c.  
Hongkong, May 2, 1885. 256

## For Sale.

**COURSE, DISTANCE, AND AVERAGE SPEED TABLES,**  
FROM LONDON, VIA THE SUEZ CANAL, TO INDIA, CHINA, JAPAN, &c., &c.  
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Hongkong, September 2, 1884. 1476

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Hongkong, July 18, 1884. 1187

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Hongkong, April 11, 1885. 614

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Hongkong, January 23, 1884. 143

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Hongkong, June 26, 1885. 1060

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Hongkong, May 11, 1885. 770

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Hongkong, December 27, 1884. 2178

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Apply to **BIRD & PALMER,** Who will exhibit Plans and arrange Offices to suit applicants.  
Hongkong, April 8, 1885. 507

**TO LET.**  
No. 5, WEST TERRACE. Entry from 1st June.  
Apply to **G. O. ANDERSON,** 13, PRINCE CENTRAL.  
Hongkong, May 5, 1885. 744

**TO LET.**  
THE OFFICES, No. 54, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, at present in the occupation of the HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO STEAMSHIP CO., LIMITED.  
Entry on or about 1st July, 1885.  
Apply to **G. O. ANDERSON,** 13, PRINCE CENTRAL.  
Hongkong, May 26, 1885. 861

**TO LET.**  
A COMMODIOUS GODOWN with Approach from PRINCE AND QUEEN'S ROADS.  
**A. S. WATSON & Co.**  
Hongkong Dispensary, 2nd May, 1885. 727

## Entertainment.

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D. N. HATHIRAM,  
Director & Managing Proprietor.  
Hongkong, July 6, 1885. 1130

## Notices to Consignees.

**INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.**  
FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Company's S.S. *Taiwan* having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for endorsement, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.  
Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on Board up to the 10th Instant will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.  
No Fire Insurance will be effected.  
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.  
Hongkong, July 4, 1885. 1127

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM GLASGOW, SINGAPORE, ILOILO AND MANILA.

THE Steamship *Gulf of Suez*, Laws, Commander, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned, at Warehouse No. 3, behind the premises known as 'Blue Buildings,' whence and/or from the Wharves or Boats delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless notice to the contrary be given before 2 p.m. To-day.  
No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 7th Instant will be subject to rent.  
No Fire Insurance will be effected.  
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by **ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,** Agents.  
Hongkong, July 1, 1885. 1122

## Shipping.

### Steamers.

**STEAM TO BOMBAY VIA STRAITS.**  
The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship *Zambesi* will leave for the above places on TUESDAY, 7th July, at 3 p.m.  
A. McIVER, Superintendent.  
P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, June 30, 1885. 1090

**FOR SHANGHAI.**  
(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for CHEFOO, TIENTSIN, NEW-CHANG, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSE.)  
The Steamship *Glenorchy*, Captain Glenorchy, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 7th Instant, at 4 p.m.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to **JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.**  
Hongkong, July 4, 1885. 1125

**DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.**

**FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAIWANFOO.**  
The Co.'s Steamship *Thales*, Captain Pocock, will be despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 8th Instant, at Noon.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to **DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,** General Managers.  
Hongkong, July 3, 1885. 1120

**OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.**

**FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.**  
The Co.'s Steamship *Ajacc*, Captain Ruzer, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 9th July.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,** Agents.  
Hongkong, June 27, 1885. 1098

**FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.**  
The Steamship *Glenace*, Captain Drake, will be despatched as above on or about the 20th Instant.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to **JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.**  
Hongkong, July 2, 1885. 1115

## Shipping.

### Steamers.

**CASTLE LINE OF STEAMERS.**  
FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.  
The Steamship *Garden Castle*, Captain J. ROBERT, will be despatched for the above Port on or about the 14th July.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to **ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,** Agents.  
Hongkong, July 3, 1885. 1121

**CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.**

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Hongkong, June 1, 1885. 903

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Hongkong, June 18, 1885. 1026

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### NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned, Agents of the above Company, are authorized to insure against FIRE at Current Rates.  
**GILMAN & Co.**  
Hongkong, January 1, 1882. 14

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Hongkong, May 19, 1881. 988

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Hongkong, January 4, 1887. 100

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Hongkong, July 25, 1872. 486

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This Standard Work on the Chinese

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Chinese characters in practical use, and

while alphabetically arranged according to the

sounds of the oldest dialect of China, the

Cantonese, it gives also the Mandarin

pronunciation of all characters explained in

the book, so that its usefulness is by no

means confined to the Cantonese Dialect, but

the work is a practically complete

Thesaurus of the whole

Literature of Chinese, ancient

and modern, as used all over the

Empire, whilst its introductory chapters

serve the purpose of a philological

guide to the student.

A Supplement, arranged for being

used by itself, and containing a

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List of Surnames, will be published and

sold separately.

LANE, CRAWFORD &amp; Co.

Hongkong, January 15, 1883.

## To-day's Advertisements.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY.

(Taking Cargo &amp; Passengers at through rates

for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW

CHANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and

Ports on the YANGTZE.)

The Co.'s Steamship

Tian, Captain Brown, will be

despatched as above on

WEDNESDAY, the 5th inst., at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD &amp; SWIRE,

Agents.

Hongkong, July 6, 1885.

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STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

LIMITED.

FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND

ADELAIDE.

(Calling at PORT DARWIN &amp; QUEENSLAND

LAND PORTS, and taking through

Cargo to NEW ZEALAND, NEW CAL-

DONIA, TASMANIA and FIJI.)

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THE CHINA &amp; MANILA STEAMSHIP

COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MANILA VIA AMOY.

The Departure of the

Co.'s Steamship

Tian, Captain Brown, is POST-

PONED until TO-MORROW, the 7th

Instant, at 5 p.m., owing to the inclemency

of the weather.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

RUSSELL &amp; Co.,

General Managers.

Hongkong, July 6, 1885.

FOR MAZATLAN (MEXICO).

The Departure of the

Steamship

Tian, Captain Brown, is POST-

PONED until TO-MORROW, the 11th

Instant, at 3 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

WING WOO &amp; Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, July 6, 1885.

UNION LINE.

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Steamship

Tian, Captain Brown, will be

despatched for the above

Port on WEDNESDAY, the 13th inst., at

3 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

RUSSELL &amp; Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, July 6, 1885.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION

COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND

CALCUTTA.

The Co.'s Steamship

Tian, Captain Brown, will be

despatched for the above

Ports on SATURDAY, the 18th inst., at

3 p.m.

This Steamship has superior First-class

Passenger Accommodation, specially

constructed to meet the requirements of tropical

climates.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON &amp; Co.,

General Managers.

Hongkong, July 6, 1885.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

The Undersigned has received instructions

to sell by Public Auction, on

FRIDAY,

the 10th July, 1885, at 2 p.m., at No. 2,

Lower Mosque Terrace,—

THE WHOLE OF THE

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &amp;c.,

comprising:—

CRACKED-GLASS DRAWING-ROOM

SUITE, BLACKWOOD MARBLE-TOP CENTRE

AND SIDE TABLES, BLACK AND GOLD FRAMED

CHINESE GLASS, POTTERIES, HEALTH RUGS

AND BRONZE CARPETS.

TEAKWOOD DINING TABLE, SIDEBOARD

AND WHATNOTS, AMERICAN-MADE DINING-ROOM

CHAIR, VIENNA CHAIRS, DINING, BREAKFAST

AND TEA SETS; GLASS AND PLATED WARE.

DOUBLES AND SINGLE IRON BEDSTEADS,

DOUBLES-IRON WARDROBE with PLATE

GLASS DOOR, TEAKWOOD CHEST OF DRAWERS

WITH DRAW, TEAKWOOD TABLE with

GLASS and MARBLE-TOP WARDENSTAND.

&amp;c., &amp;c.

Catalogues will be issued.

TERMS OF SALE.—As customary.

J. M. ARMSTRONG,

Auctioneer.

Hongkong, July 6, 1885.

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## To-day's Advertisements.

NOTICE.

MR. J. KENNEDY begs to inform his

Customers and the Public generally

that he is KILLING ROBE BULLOCKS

TO-DAY. Orders for the same to be sent

to the HONG KONG BREWERY, Garden Road,

this evening for ALL BEER required TO-

MORROW.

Hongkong, July 6, 1885.

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NOTICE.

THE OFFICE of the HONGKONG, CAN-

TON AND MACAO STEAMSHIP COMPANY

is THIS DAY REMOVED to No. 7, QUEEN'S

ROAD CENTRAL, the premises lately occu-

pied by Messrs. JARDINE, MATHESON &amp; Co.

By Order,

T. ARNOLD,

Secretary.

Hongkong, July 6, 1885.

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND

SINGAPORE.

THE S.S. *Avon* having arrived from

the above Ports, Consignees of

Cargo are hereby requested to send

in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned

for countersignature, and to take immediate

delivery of their Goods from alongside.

The Steamer goes into Dock on FRIDAY,

the 10th Instant, and all Cargo impeding

the discharge will be at once landed and

stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

Consignees are hereby informed that all

Claims must be made immediately, as

no bill will be entertained after the 15th

Instant.

DAVID SASSOON, SONS &amp; Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, July 6, 1885.

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STEAM FOR

SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO,

ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID,

MARSEILLES, MALTA, GIBRALTAR,

BRINDISI, TRIESTE, VENICE,

LONDON AND PLYMOUTH;

ALSO,

BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND

AUSTRALIA.

N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills

of Lading for BATAVIA, PERISIAN

GULF PORTS, MARSEILLES,

TRIESTE, HAMBURG, NEW YORK

AND BOSTON.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM

NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship

KALVENNA, Captain E. Szwarcz, with

Her Majesty's Mail, will be despatched

from this for LONDON direct, via SUEZ

CANAL and usual Ports of Call, on

THURSDAY, 10th July, at 4 p.m.

Cargo will be received on board until

10 a.m. on the day of sailing.

Parcels and Special Goods at the Office

until 10 a.m. on the day of sailing.

For further Particulars regarding

FREIGHT and PASSAGE, apply to the

PENINSULAR &amp; ORIENTAL STEAM

NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Office, Hongkong.

The Contents and Value of Packages

are required to be declared prior to shipment.

Shippers are particularly requested to

note the terms and conditions of the Com-

pany's Black Bills of Lading.

Passengers desirous of insuring their bag-

gage can do so on application at the Com-

pany's Office.

N.B.—This Steamer takes Cargo and Pas-

sengers for MALACCA.

A. McIVER, Superintendent.

Hongkong, July 6, 1885.

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Vessels Advertised as Loading.

Destination.

Vessels.

Captains.

Agents.

Date of Leaving.

Bombay, via Straits.

Zambesi (s).

Riley.

P. &amp; O. S. Co.

July 7, at 3 p.m.

London, via Suez Canal.

Adrian (s).

Butterfield &amp; Swire.

July 7, at 3 p.m.

London, via Suez Canal.

Gordon Castle (s).

J. Rowell.

Adams, Bell &amp; Co.

About July 14.

London, via Suez Canal.

Ravenna (s).

E. Stewart.

P. &amp; O. S. Co.

July 15, at 4 p.m.

London, via Suez Canal.

Duke (s).

Jardine, Matheson &amp; Co.

About July 20.

Manila, via Amoy.

Diamante (s).

Russell &amp; Co.

July 7, at 6 p.m.

Manila, via Amoy.

Diamante (s).

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Russell &amp; Co.



SAYS the *Singapore Free Press* of the 27th ultimo:—"We reprint to-day an article from the *Overland* 'Misc Mail' on the subject of the conduct of the Attorney-General of the Colony in defending a prisoner at the late *Assizes*. It is plain-spoken enough, but about the Chief Justice and the Attorney-General, and the last paragraph is a nail straight on the head. The article says that we have a look with interest at questions of procedure, but there have been no subsequent proceedings, so far as we know, though we do not doubt the Acting Governor has dealt with the matter, so that it is not likely to occur again. The event that it occurred all. It is not without interest for the Colony, as the administration of justice in the Supreme Court is the *stres* of the *advises*.

On his arrival at Canton, Mr. Ost at once communicated with his clerical brethren, and he found that the following gentlemen were willing to aid in the work of distribution:—Rev. T. W. Pearce, of the London Mission; Rev. J. Grundy, of the Chancery Missionary Society; Rev. E. S. Simmons, of the American Baptist Mission; Rev. A. A. Fulton and Rev. W. J. Whitcomb, of the American Baptist Mission. After conferring with these gentlemen, it was decided that two relief parties should be formed: one consisting of Messrs. Pearce and Simmons, to go up the North River at

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Henry Olson, a seaman residing at 107 E. Second St., said that about three weeks ago a man named Johnson was admitted to the boarding house, stated that he had come ashore from the ship and complained of rheumatism, and after this he was confined to his bed for about a week. At the end of that time he was sent to Hospital being very ill indeed. It was well known throughout the community that Johnson was suffering from typhoid fever, and it has been since that time.

Henry Watson, warmanter at the Gory Grouse Emporium City Hospital, remembered a man named Johnson being admitted to Hospital on the 14th June at 9:30 p.m. He was suffering from diarrhea and vomiting, and he died at 2 a.m. on the morning of the

very unsatisfactory result of the working of the Local Boards, and to adopt a memorial to be submitted to the Supreme Government upon after the present political crisis is over, praying the Commission to establish the principle of the Local Self Government to be being carried out in the district of Soubourg.

THE "MARTINIQUE."

Rangoon, June 17. — Mr Patrick Henderson, the steamer "Martinique," which has just arrived, reports having encountered a cyclone of 16 hours duration in the Gulf of Aden on the 1st instant. The wheel-houses and stern-wheel were washed away, while one boat and three other boats were stove in. All the crew were more or less injured.

ry, lately wrooked of Taroy, has been purchased by a syndicate of Ochiets for Rs. 45,000, and will run between Rangoon and Singapore.

**OLIVIER PAINT AT PONDICHERRY.**  
*Dangaroo*, Ath Janno.—There is great excitement at Pondicherry—the district headquarters of the French colony—on the subject of the visit of the *Dangaroo* in a few days ago, habited as a priest, turns out to be the notorious Olivier Paul, Communist and Chancellor to the Mahdi. The reason for his leaving Egypt are not exactly known, but the report is that he quarrelled with the Mahdi, and, fearing the consequences, made his escape, and in disguise passed through the English lines, and finally turned up at Pondicherry. On arrival he was

1. BAROMETR, reduced to 59 degrees Fahr-  
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Fahrenheit.
3. HUMIDITY, in percentage of saturation,  
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100.
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5. FORCE OF WIND, according to Beaufort's  
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W. DOBERCK,  
Government Astronomer

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Her Britannic Majesty's Ships in the China Squadron.						
Name.	Rig.	Tons Displd.	Guns.	L.H.P.	Captain.	Where at.
Agamemnon	d. & turret ironclad	8510	6	3300	Captain Samuel Long	Nagasaki
Albatross	composite screw sloop	940	4	840	Commander Chas. Hicks	Hongkong
Audacious*	double-screw iron frigate	6010	14	4330	Captain Pearson	Shanghai
Champion	corvette	2330	14	2340	Captain A. T. Fowlett	On a cruise
Cleopatra	corvette	2380	14	2610	Captain H. N. Hippisley	Nagasaki
Cookshuford	gunboat	465	4	470	Lieut.-Com. E. H. Bother	Hongkong
Cuirassé	corvette	2333	14	2540	Captain G. F. Harner	Singapore
Daring	composite screw gunboat	4	940	—	Commander Lawrence Ching	Port Hamilton
Exeter	double-screw gunboat	330	3	340	Capt. Colburn	Hongkong
Expoir	gunboat	430	4	455	Lieut.-Com. E. H. Gamble	Pakhoi
Ficrland	gunboat	450	4	—	Lieut.-Com. D. L. Dickson	Port Hamilton
Flying Fish	sloop	940	4	840	Captain J. P. Maclear	Manila
Gloucester	transport	2000	—	—	Captain Hong	Hongkong
Hawke	transport	2332	—	—	Captain W. McKennie	Hongkong
India	transport	2533	—	—	Captain C. M. Day	Hongkong
Invincible	ironclad	6010	14	4830	Captain Buckle	Singapore
Lionnet	double-screw gun-vessel	707	6	1050	Commander Geo. W. Hill	Port Hamilton
Marlin	gunboat	430	4	430	Commander R. B. O. Brenton	Port Hamilton
Midgø	double-screw gun-vessel	455	4	470	Commander Hotham	Hongkong
Pegasus	composite screw sloop	1130	6	970	Commander Bickford	Nagasaki
Pembroke Castle	transport	4000	—	—	Captain Harrison	Hongkong
Rambler	sloop	830	—	—	Hon. E. P. Vereker	Shanghai
Roseate	transport	3502	—	—	Captain Brady	Hongkong
Scylla	corvette	1870	12	2360	Captain G. Kinnahan	Nagasaki
Surf	double-screw gun-vessel	794	5	1010	Commander A. C. B. Bromley	Shanghai
Tweed	double-screw gunboat	369	3	340	Lieut.-Com. R. J. Loane	Hongkong
Victor Emanuel	receiving ship	3087	20	—	Commandore Morant	Hongkong
Vigilant	paddle despatch-vessel	835	2	1230	Lieut. Argueher	Hongkong
Wanderer	gunboat	925	4	750	Captain Orford Churchill	Port Hamilton
Wild Swan	composite sloop	8	1450	—	Commander John S. Hallifax	Singapore
Witorn	turret ship	1800	4	760	Capt. Lewis	Hongkong
Zephyr	gunboat	430	4	430	Lieut.-Com. Chas. K. Hope	Pakhoi

\* Fleetship of Vice-Admiral Sir Wm. Murray Dorell, R.N., Commander-in-Chief.

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